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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

12 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 2:15-cr-00285-KJD-PAL

14 Plaintiff,

MOTION FOR LEAVE OF COURT TO  
PROVIDE DISCOVERY TO THIRD-PARTY  
INDIVIDUAL

15 v.

16 CHARLES BURTON RITCHIE,  
and  
17 BENJAMIN GALECKI,

18 Defendants.

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20 COMES NOW, the United States of America, by and through Daniel G. Bogden, United States  
21 Attorney for the District of Nevada, James E. Keller, Assistant United States Attorney, Arthur G.  
22 Wyatt, Chief, Narcotic and Dangerous Drug Section, and Brian Sardelli, Trial Attorney, moves the  
23 Court to permit the government to provide the discovery in this case, which has been protected per the  
24 Court's order [Document #30], to third-party individual Ryan Eaton, through his attorney, Eric

1 Stevenson, Esq. Mr. Eaton is not currently charged in this case, but is a potential co-defendant in this  
2 matter and this discovery will allow his attorney, Eric Stevenson, Esq., to evaluate his client's case and  
3 to assess whether to seek to resolve this case short of his client's charging in the case. A copy of the  
4 protective order will also be provided to Mr. Eaton and Mr. Eaton's counsel, Eric Stevenson. Notice of  
5 the disclosure of this discovery to Ryan Eaton and his attorney, Eric Stevenson, Esq., will be provided  
6 to defendants Ritchie and Galecki through each of their respective counsel. Mr. Stevenson and his  
7 client, Mr. Eaton, understand and agree (as Mr. Stevenson has confirmed with the undersigned) to be  
8 bound by the protective order as if they were a party in this case if they receive this discovery.

9 DATED this 21st day of March, 2016.

10 Respectfully submitted,

11 DANIEL G. BOGDEN  
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14 /s/ James E. Keller  
JAMES E. KELLER  
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15 **ORDER**

16 Based upon the motion of the United States of America,

17 IT IS ORDERED that leave of Court is granted to the United States of America to provide  
discovery in this case to third-party individual Ryan Eaton, through his counsel, Eric  
Stevenson.

18 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the United States of America shall provide a copy of the  
protective order to Ryan Eaton and Ryan Eaton's counsel, Eric Stevenson.

19 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Ryan Eaton and his counsel shall file an  
acknowledgment of receipt of the protective order and agreement to be bound by its terms

21 IT IS SO ORDERED.

22 Dated April 20, 2016.

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HONORABLE PEGGY A. LEEN  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

1 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

2 It is hereby certified that pursuant to LCR 47-11 service of the foregoing MOTION FOR  
3 LEAVE OF COURT TO PROVIDE DISCOVERY TO THIRD-PARTY INDIVIDUAL was made  
4 through the Court's electronic filing and notice system (CM/ECF) or, as appropriate, by sending a copy  
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12 DATED this 21st day of March, 2016.

13 /s/ James E. Keller  
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